# RESOLUTION ROCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Rock County Child Support Agency INITIATED BY



Kristine A. Baker Ellis DRAFTED BY

July 26, 2010 DATE DRAFTED

<u>Public Safety and Justice Committee</u> SUBMITTED BY

# <u>AUTHORIZING RECEIPT OF ARRA PROGRAM FUNDS AND AMENDING</u> THE 2010 ROCK COUNTY CHILD SUPPORT AGENCY BUDGET

WHEREAS, the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) provides a temporary reinstatement of Federal Matching Funds on incentive payments, which States are to spend on the Child Support program. This legislation has a two-year limit; child support incentive payments can be used to draw down federal matching funds for the period 10/1/08-9/30/10; and,

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WHEREAS, the Office of Child Support Enforcement states that stimulus funds are intended to supplement, not supplant or replace other child support funding. Child support reinvestment requirements in 45 CFR 305.35 provide that states must expend the incentive payments to carry out the IV-D program; and,

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14 15 16 WHEREAS, the Federal Regulations 45 CFR 305.35 also requires that states expend all incentive payments to carry out the IV-D program and meet minimum reinvestment levels. Wisconsin will meet federal reinvestment minimums, if counties maintain County Contribution levels at 90% or above CY 2008 levels; and,

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WHEREAS, the ARRA funds allocated for Rock County for 2009 were rolled forward to 2010; and,

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WHEREAS, the CSL 09-42 requires ARRA plans must be submitted to BCS for approval. Each Child Support Agency may submit multiple ARRA plans. Unit costs less than \$5,000 will be approved by the Regional Administrators; and,

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WHEREAS, the Rock County Child Support Agency has submitted an ARRA plan in the amount of \$16,247 and has been approved by the Bureau of Child Support; and,

WHEREAS, Rock County will conduct this project in accordance with the provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act and appropriate State and Federal Requirements; and,

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Rock County Board of Supervisors duly assembled this day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2010 hereby accepts funds from the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) program and authorizes the County Board Chair to sign the ARRA program funds amending the budget on behalf of the County of Rock; and,

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the 2010 County Budget be amended as follows:

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44	Source of Funds	01/01/2010	(Decrease)	Budget
45	34-3855-0000-42104	133,490	10,723	144,213
46	Federal Reimbursemen	t		·
47	34-3855-0000-42120	68,767	5,524	74,291
48	Federal Stimulus Fun	ds		
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50	Use of Funds			
51	34-3855-0000-63100	12,543	4,867	17,410
52	Office Supplies			
53	34-3855-0000-67130	114,436	3,752	118,188

Budget At

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Respectfully submitted,

Capital Assets \$1000 or More

## PUBLIC SAFETY AND JUSTICE COMMITTEE

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FINANCE COMMITTEE ENDORSEMENT

Reviewed and approved on a vote of

Mary Mawhinney, Chair

# **FISCAL NOTE:**

This resolution authorizes the acceptance and expenditure of \$16,247 in Federal Aid for Child Support program activities. No additional County matching funds are required to accept these funds.

Finance Director

### LEGAL NOTE:

AS an amendment to the adopted 2010 County Budget, this Resolution requires a 2/3voge of the entire membership of the County Board pursuant to sec. 65.90(5)(a), Stats.

effre S. Kuglatsch Corporation Counsel

ADMINISTRATIVE NOTE:

Recommended.

Craig Knutson

County Administrator

# **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

The American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) provides a temporary reinstatement of federal matching funds on incentive payments. Child support incentive payments can be used to draw down federal matching funds which will end on September 30, 2010.

This is the final resolution request for ARRA funding for the Child Support Agency.

We are replacing some tables, chairs and office equipment in order to provide a better ergonomic work environment.

There will also be an addition to the offsite case file storage system for better organization and use of the limited space available.

All of the planned changes will provide and assist in office efficiencies, enhancements and customer service.